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Richard F. Allison

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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES; AMENDMENT DIRECTING ENTRY OF CRF SEQUENCE LISTING AND STATEMENT PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.821(f)

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Attn: Winston M. Alvarado

Dear Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in response to the Notification to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures mailed March 24 2006, for which a response is due May 24, 2006, is a labeled, computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing included in the application.

Please enter the enclosed computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing into the above referenced Application. Applicants note that the enclosed Sequence Listing is provided for search purposes only.

I hereby state that I have reviewed the paper copy of the Sequence Listing contained on pages 1 to 5 of said Sequence Listing, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(c), and have reviewed the computer readable form of the Sequence Listing, as required by

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37 CFR 1.821(e), and that the content of the paper and computer readable copies for the above-referenced patent application are the same as required by 37 CFR 1.821(f).

Early favorable consideration of the patent application is respectfully solicited.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 08-0750, under Order No. 6550-000072/NPB from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: May 24, 2006

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Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file the items indicated below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to the final rulemaking notice published at 55 FR 18230 (May 1, 1990), and 1114 OG 29 (May 15, 1990). If the effective filing date is on or after July 1, 1998, see the final rulemaking notice published at 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998) and 1211 OG 82 (June 23, 1998). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment specifically directing its entry into the application. Applicant must also provide a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825 (d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821 (e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.
- A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" and a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

Applicant is cautioned that correction of the above items may cause the specification and drawings page count to exceed 100 pages. If the specification and drawings exceed 100 pages, applicant will need to submit the required application size fee.

For questions regarding compliance to 37 CFR 1.821-1.825 requirements, please contact:

- For Rules Interpretation, call (571) 272-0951
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Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.

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4. The US has been elected (Article 31).			
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b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.			
c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Recei	ving Office (RO/US).		
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a. is attached hereto.			
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Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:			
An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.			
12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compli	ance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.		
13. A preliminary amendment.			
14 An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.			
15. A substitute specification.			
16. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.			
17. x A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with Po	CT Rule 13 <i>ter.</i> 2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825.		
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